

REMARKS

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on December 12, 2006. All objections and rejections are respectfully traversed.

Claims 1-41 are currently pending.

Request For Withdrawal of Office Action

Applicant requests withdrawal of the Office Action because the Office Action is directed to the wrong application. The Examiner reviewed an application expressly incorporated by reference in Applicant's correct application.

Applicant's application was filed on March 9, 2004, and includes 41 claims. Additionally, with the original filing, Applicant expressly incorporated by reference U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/777,978, and sent the specification, claims, and drawings for this application. On July 22, 2004, Applicant responded to a Response to File Missing Parts with the missing drawings of the incorporated by reference application Serial No. 10/777,978.

The incorporated by reference Serial No. 10/777,978, specifically states on the first page of the specification that it is incorporated by reference. The USPTO entered the incorporated by reference application Serial No. 10/777,978 as a specification, claims, and drawings on private pair, instead of a non-published document.

Accordingly, Applicant requests a new Office Action evaluating the merits of the original application filed on March 9, 2004. The correct application has the attorney docket number 112056-0167 in the upper right hand corner.

Request for Interview

The Applicant respectfully requests a telephonic interview with the Examiner after the Examiner has had an opportunity to consider this Amendment, but before the issuance of the next Office Action. The Applicant may be reached at 617-951-3067.

Objections to Abstract

The Examiner objected to the abstract as having more than 150 words. Applicant has amended the abstract to have less than 150 words.

All independent claims are believed to be in condition for allowance.

All dependent claims are believed to be dependent from allowable independent claims.

The Applicant respectfully solicits favorable action.

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